REPRIMAND

James Walker Martin 2518 S. 32nd Avenue Omaha, NE 68105 Certificate No. Case No. 05036

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James Martin, a Nebraska school certificate holder, you are hereby reprimanded for violating the standards of professional conduct and ethics. It has been reported that during the 2004-2005 school year, you wrote a note and made comments of a personal nature to an eighth grade female student even after the mother of the student raised concerns. Your conduct is a violation of Title 92, Nebraska Administrative Code, Chapter 27, Section 004.03C (effective date: November 12, 2003) which states, "the educator: Shall make reasonable effort to protect the student from conditions which interfere with the learning process or are harmful to health or safety"; and Section 004.03D (same effective date) which states; "the educator: Shall conduct professional educational activities in accordance with sound educational practices that are in the best interest of the student".

Any further unprofessional or unethical conduct may result in the suspension or revocation of your Nebraska school certificate.

Dated this 23rd day of May 2006.

Douglas D. Christensen, Ph.D. Commissioner of Education

This reprimand is public and is subject to publication. A copy of this reprimand will be maintained by the Department of Education. Additionally, a notation will appear on your official

certificate record that you received a reprimand on this date.